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COMOR-D-37

12 May 1961

MEMORANDUM FOR: COMOR Members

SUBJECT: Notice of KH Billet Approval

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1. [REDACTED] The request for expansion of T-KH billets set forth in [REDACTED] and its attachment, [REDACTED] have been approved. 25X1

2. Each agency may now proceed to fill these billets as circumstances require and in accordance with standard procedure.

3. For the future the Director of Central Intelligence has been directed to exercise the supervisory responsibilities assigned to him in the Presidential Directive dated 26 August 1960 and to send to the White House a quarterly account of the add membership in the T-KH organization with a brief justification of these numbers. Details of how the advisory responsibility noted above might best be exercised will be the subject of discussion at the COMOR meeting on May 23d.

4. The memorandum of approval of current KH expansion calls attention to highest concern for the security of T-KH information. It points out that the Director of CIA is relied upon to insure that access to this information is severely limited to those who have a strong "need-to-know" and also to insure that all of them understand the particular sensitivity of this information. Participating agencies will please take note of this injunction.

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Chairman

Committee on Overhead Reconnaissance

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